

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :

Barrow et al.

Appl. No.:

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Title

COLLOIDAL COMPOSITE SOL GEL FORMULATION WITH AN

EXPANDED GEL NETWORK FOR MAKING THICK INORGANIC

COATINGS

Grp./A.U.:

1754

Examiner :

Nguyen, Cam N.

Docket No.:

14795

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 19, 2007, a complete listing of claims originally included with a response to a non-final Office action mailed January 25, 2007, is attached hereto. Since the amendment was filed in response to a non-final Office action, only the corrected section, namely a complete listing of claims, is being timely submitted within one month of the mailing date of the Notice. Further, it is respectfully asserted that no fees are due at this time, but any required fees may be charged to deposit account number 04-1577.

It would be appreciated if the Examiner would indicate the acceptance of this amendment in the next Office communication. However, should the Examiner have any questions regarding this response, the amendments submitted herewith, or the allowability of the claims, it would be appreciated if the Examiner would contact the undersigned attorney of record at the telephone number provided below for purposes of facilitating prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted, DOWELL & DOWELL, P.C.

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